

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Vol. 2.

Victoria, Monday Morning, November 7, 1859

No. 64.

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

PUBLISHED EVERY
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND FRIDAY
MORNING,
VICTORIA, V. I.

A. DE COSMOS,.....Proprietor.

TERMS:

Per Annum, in advance, by Mail, \$10 00
For Six Months, 6 00
For Week, payable to the Carrier, 37 1/2
Single Copies, 12 1/2

Advertisements inserted on the most reasonable terms.

Advertisements must be handed in before seven o'clock on the day previous to publication to insure insertion.

THOS. BOYCE, N. E. corner Montgomery and Washington streets, San Francisco, is authorized to receive and receipt for subscriptions and advertisements in California.

Agents, British Columbia.

D. W. Higgins,.....Fort Yale.
Seth T. Tilley,.....Fort Hope.
W. Winnard,.....Port Langley.
Franklyn, McDonald & Co., Port Douglas.
S. W. Herring,.....New Westminster.

GAS COMPANY.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:

SIR:—The editor of the *New Westminster Times* has allowed the following remark to appear in his last issue, in reference to the attempted monopoly of the so-called Gas Company: "All men with one grain of common sense being aware that every company that has ever been established in England, has had the monopoly granted to them for a certain number of years, as the only means of inducing capitalists to risk their money." Now, unfortunately, the particular grain of common sense referred to is possessed only by the worthy individual who penned those remarks; and I may, perhaps, startle him by stating that the monopoly mentioned has never been granted by the British Parliament to any company. I defy him to quote an instance. In the slippery and reckless article on the same subject, it is stated that "In almost every Colony under the British Crown, a limited monopoly has invariably been accorded." (How the terms "almost" and "invariably" can agree, I leave him to explain). I deny this *in toto*; and beg to state, for the writer's information, that in the whole of Australia and New Zealand, no such instance exists. The man or company of men who would attempt to procure such a monopoly would be scouted from mercantile circles, for their ignorance. If the writer of the article looks to the Australian colonies, he will find that every publicity is given in the establishment of any company having for its object the supply of gas or water to the public. Prospectuses are issued containing the proposed scheme; the names of the provisional directors (invariably composed of men of known mercantile experience and standing, &c.); the shares are open to the application of the public generally; and when applied for and allotted, (and not till then) application is made to the Legislature for an Act of Incorporation. And they, notwithstanding the straightforward and open way in which all this is managed, so far from granting any exclusive privilege, always guard the public interests by insisting upon the in-

sertion of a clause to limit the amount of dividend to be paid by the company.

I am credibly informed that steps will be immediately taken to establish a Gas Consumers' Company, which will be a public, and not a hole-in-the-corner affair.

A VICTORIAN.

The Pioneer and Democrat says the largest shipment of breadstuffs—the product of their own soil—ever made in that Territory, was forwarded to Victoria a few days since by Messrs. Crosby & Barnes and Ward & Hays, per schooner *Carolina*, Capt. Jones. The cargo consisted of 380 barrels superfine family flour, manufactured at mills of the above firms, at Tumwater.

The Dalles Journal says that rich gold discoveries have been made by Sergeant Compton on Similkameen river. It is found on a bar. The soldiers are making \$20 a day. With rockers, the estimate is \$50 and \$100. No one is advised to go there this fall; as it is not known whether the diggings are extensive.

An address to the free negroes of the United States, inviting them to settle in the Island, has been issued by the Haytian Government.

Fifteen thousand bushels of fruit, principally apples, were shipped from Portland, Oregon, on the last trip of the Brother Jonathan, to San Francisco.

Danford Balch, for the murder of his Son-in-law, Mortimer Stump, was executed in Oregon on Oct. 17th.

The new reform movement under the auspices of Mr. Cobden and others, was in progress.

Since 1701, Austria has lost and regained Lombardy thirteen times!

PROVISIONS AND GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

T. Phelan,

At the corner of Yates and Government sts.

RESPECTFULLY CALLS the attention of the citizens of Victoria and its vicinity to THE CHOICE SELECTION

Groceries,

Provisions,

Crockery, and

Glass-Ware,

Which he now offers to the Public at the

MOST REASONABLE PRICES.

FOR CASH.

English Biscuit, in 10-lb tins; English Sauces, Jams and Jellies; Mustard; Vinegar; Pickles, Pie Fruit; and Potted Beef and Ham, put up by Beatty & Co., London. Black and Green Teas; Crushed Sugar, in 4-lb tins; Carolina and China Rice; Boston Syrup; Sandwich Island Molasses; Golden Gate Mill Flour; Extra Clear Pork, in 4-lb tins; No 1 China Sugar; Sandwich Island Sugar, in 4-lb tins; Extra clear Bacon; Rio and Java coffee, whole and ground; Adamantine Candles; Lamp Oil; Natural Leaf and Peach brand Tobacco; Fresh Corn Meal; Buckwheat Flour; 50-lb sacks Chili Beans.

Constantly receiving by every Steamer from California and Oregon samples of

FRESH BUTTER AND CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co., corner Wharf and Johnson streets—
Brandy, 25 lbs Martell, Martell's and Imperial; do 200 cases Imperial; do 100 do cognac; Rum, 25 1/2 casks fine old Jamaica; Whisky, 2 puncheons Irish; Sherry, 34 1/2 casks medium and superior; Port, 25 1/2 do do do; do 23 do do fair; 10 cases, a choice article; Champagne, 75 cases quarts and ptes; Claret, 100 cases; Ale, 25 hids Bass No. 3, new brew; do Burton Brewery Co and Morrice & Co., in bottles; Porter, Morrice & Co., do do

LANGLEY HOTEL.

W. WINNARD.....PROPRIETOR.
FORT LANGLEY, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Proprietor of the Langley Hotel, having re-built and enlarged his establishment, and furnished it so as to afford

FIRST CLASS ACCOMMODATION to the travelling public, respectfully solicits a continuance of the liberal patronage hitherto bestowed on him. His table is always supplied with everything the market affords, and served in the best style. Single Rooms can always be had. The sleeping apartments are furnished with good beds. The best Liquors will always be found at the Bar. Travellers passing up or down the river, may always depend on finding the best accommodation at the Langley Hotel.
Storage for Merchandise on reasonable terms.
Port Langley, B. C., Oct. 20, 1859. oc21

NOTICE.

Mr. CHARLES W. WALLACE Jr. Holds our Power of Attorney, will represent our interests, and attend to all business connected with our Firm.
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.
Victoria, V. I., 1st October, 1859. 04-1m

REMOVAL.

DR. RUMSEY has removed his office from the Clifton House to the building occupied by Dr. Mauley, in Trounce street. oc21-3

FOR SALE.

BY THE UNDERSIGNED, Salt Salmon in casks.
Fish in casks, Olympia Flour, Woods Soap, "Good Tom" in one doz. cases, Geneva in one doz. cases, English Wines and Spirits in wood and bottle. An assortment of English clothing and under-clothing.
Oct 18—019-1m REID & MACDONALD.

FOR SALE BY

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co., corner Wharf and Johnson streets—
Sheet Lead;
Pipe Lead;
Galvanized iron for roofing;
Galvanized buckets;
Hardware, an assorted invoice;
Tinware do
Cement and lime;
Gunpowder, in one doz. best rifle;
Blasting powder;
Shot.
oc21-1m

RECEIVED BY LATE ARRIVALS.

TURKIS ISLAND SALT IN SACKS.

Codfish in casks.
Prunes in casks of cartons.
Candies in 25 lb. boxes, (English Sperm.)
Sheet Iron in bundles, Nos. 16, 17, 18, 25, 26, and 27.
Coona Matting; bordered Coona mats.
Blankets in bales, Gentian, scarlet and grey colors.
Salmon & Herring Twine, Cod-fish hooks, assorted.
Salmon and Herring Nets, an assortment.
Regatta Shirts, Serge Drawers, Pantaloon in cases
Sherry Wine in quarter casks, Claret Wine in cases; Quicksilver in flasks.
Superfine Flour, in quarter sacks, Pacific Mills, San Francisco.
Lime Juice in cases containing 1 doz.
Bookers Bitters, in cases, Marzetti's brand.
Ale and Porter in cases, Hilbert's brand.
An assortment of English Pickles, Potted Meats, Jams, and Jellies, Anchovies, Calfoot Jelly, Sauces, &c, put up by Batty & Co., London.
For sale by SAMUEL PRICE & CO., Corner Wharf and Johnston streets.
Victoria, V. I. 14th June, 1859. fe14-t

JUST RECEIVED

AND NOW LANDING, EX BARK "SEA NYMPH," from Hongkong:
400 mats No 1 China sugar;
100 chests fine Black Teas;
82 tins No 1 Manila Coffee;
40 Mattan Chairs;
10 Bamboo Extension Chair;
75 coils Manila Cordage, assorted sizes;
300 cases Chinese Preserves, assorted;
2 cases Chinese Firecrackers;
1 case of Silk Goods, containing an elegant assortment of Shawls; Scarfs and Handkerchiefs.
For sale by SAMUEL PRICE & CO., corner Wharf and Johnson streets.

ALE and PORTER—

Allsopp & Son's Burton Ale in Hhds, Allsopp's India Pale Ale, in Pints and Quarts, bottled by F. Friend & Co. Barclay, Perkins & Co's Porter, in qts. and ptes, bottled by Fred. Friend & Co For Sale by A. R. GREEN & Co. au8tf

CHINA MATTING 4-4, 5-4, and 6-4,

For Sale by A. R. GREEN & Co. au8tf

TEAS, Fine Oolong and Imperial Gunpowder, For Sale by A. R. GREEN & Co. au8tf

CHINA RICE, No 1. China Rice, For sale by A. R. GREEN & Co. au8-1j

NO. 1 CHINA SUGAR. For sale by A. R. GREEN & CO. au8tf

FOR SALE, IN STORE.

EX SCHR. KOSSUTH, from OREGON, 800 quarter sacks Oregon FLOUR, branded "O. G. M. Extra." SAMUEL PRICE & CO., Victoria, 15th Sept. 1859. se15-1m

Bank of British North America.

ESTABLISHED IN 1836.

Incorporated by Royal Charter in 1840.

CAPITAL £1,000,000

Court of Directors:

HENRY BARNESWELL, Esq., JOHN BLOKAM ELIN, Esq.,
THOMAS H. BROOKING, Esq., OLIVER FAIRBIE, Esq.,
ROBERT CARTER, Esq., ALEX. GILLESPIE, Esq.,
WILLIAM CHAPMAN, Esq., SIR A. PHILLIPS GULLS, R. N.
WILLIAM R. CHAPMAN, Esq., FRANCIS L. BRITTON, Esq.,
JAMES JOHN CUMMINS, Esq., JOHN RANKING, Esq.

Secretary:

CHARLES M'NAB, Esq.

Bankers:

THE BANK OF ENGLAND,

Messrs. GLYN, MILLS, & CO.

Establishments in the Colonies.

GENERAL MANAGER, THOMAS PATON, Esq.

QUEBEC, Canada, DUNDAS, Canada,
MONTREAL, do BRANTFORD, do
OTTAWA, do LONDON, do
KINGSTON, do ST. JOHN, New Brunswick,
TORONTO, do HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, and
HAMILTON, do VICTORIA, V. I.

Agents in New York:

Messrs. R. C. FERGUSON, F. H. GRAIN, & C. F. SMITH
29, William Street.

VICTORIA BRANCH.

TEMPORARY OFFICES, GOVERNMENT STREET,
Opposite the Treasury.

Gold Dust and Bills of Exchange Purchased

DRAFTS ISSUED ON

LONDON, NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, CANADA, NEW BRUNSWICK, and NOVA SCOTIA, and On the Branches of the PROVINCIAL BANK OF IRELAND, and the NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND
Office hours—10 a. m., to 3 p. m.
Saturday—10 a m to 1 p m.
J. W. WOOD, Manager.

SEWING MACHINES.

The two best Sewing Machines on this Island. All kinds of Sewing done at the shortest notice. BAGS of all kinds, MATTRESSES, PILLOW-CASES, SHEETS and CLOTHING: also FAMILY SEWING.
All orders promptly attended to. Next door below Wells, Fargo & Co's Express office, au29-1m J. FRIED.

COLONIAL HOTEL & RESTAURANT.

Government street, nearly opposite the Post Office.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE COLONIAL Restaurant having purchased the adjoining building, hitherto known as the Metropolitan Hotel will hereafter carry on the above title.

Private Rooms and Saloons.
Also 200 BILLIARD TABLES in a neatly furnished Saloon.

GEO. T. SEYMOUR, { OTIS S. PIERCE, {
Victoria. { San Francisco

PIERCE & SEYMOUR,

North-west corner of Yates and Douglas streets.

Victoria,

FURNITURE

DEALERS, AND

Bedding Manufacturers,

ARE in regular receipt of assorted Furniture of substantial quality, which they offer at reasonable rates, in part consisting of BEDSTEDS, all sizes; Bureaus, plain and scroll front; Tables, assorted sizes; Chairs, cane and wood seat, and office chairs; Rockers, cane seat and back; Looking Glasses; Cots, and other articles of immediate necessity. MR. PIERCE—recently of J. & O. S. Pierce, of San Francisco—now residing there, will give his attention to the filling of special orders for any style of Furniture, thereby saving time, trouble and expense, to parties here.

PULU! PULU!!

Of this particular material for Bedding, we have an ample stock on hand, which we offer either by the bale or in Bedding, at steady prices. It is universally conceded to be equal to feathers, and better than curled hair for this climate, at half the price of either. Our beds are made with the sole importer of it for California, are such that we are enabled to sell Lower than it can be had elsewhere. Straw Mattresses, wholesale and retail. Curled Hair do, made to order. 115

FOR SALE.—A few "Washington Territory Volunteers" Discharges, Apply to G. B. HALL, at the "IDENTICAL" Wharf street, cor. 114 & Yates. Terms—Half cash.

WATER WATER!!

WE ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH Vessels with Water, in this Harbor or at Esquimaux, at the shortest notice. Orders left at our office will be promptly attended to. SAMUEL PRICE & CO. se16-1m

NON-INTERFERENCE OF THE GOVERNOR WITH THE DUTIES OF THE COUNCIL AND ASSEMBLY.

The supreme and absolute power of this Colony is vested in a Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly. Whatever laws they make are binding on all. In aiming therefore at a constitutional settlement of our institutions, it is necessary that each of the three branches of the Legislature should confine themselves solely to their own duties, and neither encroach on one another, nor institute or practice usages unknown to the British Constitution. If this is not done,—we can never expect the subordinate duties of government to be well or satisfactorily performed. In this Colony the Governor sits as President of the Legislative Council. This is wrong. We must have a President who is a Councillor, not a Governor. In the next place, when bills are passed by either the Council or Assembly, we want to see them sent to each other for concurrence without passing through the hands of the Governor, as it is now. When a bill passes the Commons it is sent directly to the Lords;—not to the Lords by being first sent to the Queen. When the Lords pass a bill it is sent directly to the Commons. Our practice in both houses is to send bills through the Governor. This is unconstitutional, and must end; and the sooner the better. All that the Governor can be allowed to do in enacting laws is to receive them for assent. His constitutional duties in law making are a simple yes or no. To go beyond is usurpation. Non-interference therefore with the rights, prerogatives, or duties of the Council or Assembly by the Governor is a doctrine that cannot be violated with impunity, nor without bringing discredit on the Legislature.

The *Times* has charged us with speaking of the "cool reception" of His Excellency at the Beacon Hill Races, from "spleen and personal animosity," and that the writer of the *Colonist* was "inscrupulous." This we emphatically and unequivocally say is false. Whatever we have said or written of the Governor or any official during the past year has been dictated solely by a love of constitutional principles which they have violated, and of which we have the proof for every word and every line, and more. Not one word have we ever penned against any one from "personal animosity;" for the good and sufficient reason that we entertain none but the most friendly feelings towards every inhabitant of these Colonies, whether officials or private citizens. Public men are public property, and are liable to criticism; beyond their connection with the public, we have never trespassed. The *Times* has. Our opposition to the administration has been owing to the wrongs, it has committed. When it does right, it meets our support. Hence we can afford to allow the *Times*, in its ignorance of Webster, to quote Billingsgate, and exhaust the whole vocabulary,—the only exception which we would take,—the only words which would be offensive, would be to call us a writer or editor of the *New Westminster Times*.

The U. S. Schooner *Joe Lane*, arrived yesterday in port, from the U. S. Steamer *Massachusetts*, now lying off False Dungeness.

The Franchise Bill has passed the Legislative Council and received the assent of His Excellency the Governor.

STEAMER CALEDONIA SUPPOSED TO BE LOST, AND ALL HANDS PERISHED.

Well grounded fears are entertained that the little steamer *Caledonia*, J. C. Halsey, Master, which left here on Wednesday morning last for New Westminster, has either foundered, blown up, or been disabled, at the mercy of wind and current, and consequently carried down among the islands of the Harro Archipelago. On Wednesday afternoon last the Eliza Anderson saw her about six miles from Plumper Pass in the Gulf of Georgia. On Saturday morning she had not arrived at Westminster, and no tidings of her safety or that of her crew has been received. It was observed by the Engineer of the Anderson that her engines were laboring very hard; but she blew her whistle in salute that all was right. The Gulf was very rough then, the sea nearly washing her deck; and it was supposed that when she approached the mouth of the river that every sea would break over her. The news of her non-arrival at Westminster, brought on Saturday by the Anderson, caused a number of our principal merchants to send a requisition to the Admiral asking him to order one of the men-o'-war to the Gulf of Georgia to search for her. Capt. DeCourcy yesterday signified his intention of leaving this morning on H. M. S. *Pytlades* for that purpose. Owing to the Otter being at San Juan, and the Beaver's machinery disconnected, no steamer could be dispatched in search on Saturday. The Anderson on her last down trip ran in shore along Point Roberts; but could see no vestige of her. Boats we learn have arrived from Semiahmo and Whatcom since Wednesday, but bring no account of her. Her freight was small. The chief item was 80 sheep, belonging to Mr. Bedford, Langley. Her Agent here, Mr. A. R. Green, of the house of A. R. Green & Co., was the only passenger known to be on board. Her officers and crew consisted of Capt. J. C. Halsey, Mr. Allen, Engineer, Greer, fireman, T. Alexander, Big Joe, and an Indian, deck-hands; Burrell, cook and steward. If any serious accident had occurred making it necessary to abandon her in the Gulf, the small skiff on board would be incapable of containing the crew. The only hope for her safety is the possibility of having got round Point Roberts, or drifted back among the islands, as the wind was ahead when she was last seen. The *Caledonia* was the first steamer built on Vancouver Island,—designed originally to carry freight between Victoria and Esquimalt. Lately she has been refitted, several thousand dollars having been expended on engines, &c. She is principally owned in San Francisco. The house of Faulkner, Bell & Co., of San Francisco, being principal shareholders. It is not known whether she was insured.

SALT-WATER INVOICES.—It is rumored that Collector Hamley, of New Westminster, will institute a series of suits, this morning, against some of our principal merchants, on the ground of conspiring to defraud the revenue of British Columbia, by making out Custom-House entries at a lower price than cost, and at a less quantity than the packages contained. A person named George, engaged in buying goods, (which were seized,) for Mr. Carlisle at Port Douglas, came down with Mr. Hamley, and alleges that the merchants put the price lower in order to make a saving on the duty, hereafter; but the merchants in town say that George is the party who solicited them to do it for him. For the reputation of our mercantile community we hope no such disreputable transactions will be laid at their door. Collector Hamley, however, appears to be in earnest about sifting this matter to the bottom. The offence is, we believe, a finable one, collected before a magistrate, in a summary way.

Don't forget the Ball at the Royal Hotel to-morrow night.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION.

THIS MORNING.

Monday Nov. 7, 1859, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

AT SALESROOM ON WHARF STREET.

JEWELL & HARRISON'S LARD.

Allen's Sperm Candles;
Knapp Bros. Adamantine Candles;
Flour, and Corn Meal;
English Soap, English Mustard, English Pickles;
Beas and white Beas;
Mauls and German Sengars;
Vienna and Vienna Macarons;
Loaf, Crushed and Brown Sugars;
Gutter Shoes and Brogans;
Goshen and Oregon Butter;
Carolina Rice;
Sugar-cured Hams;
Sugar-cured Shoulders;
Extra clear Butter;
Champagne Cider, &c., &c.

J. A. McCREA,

Auctioneer.

NOW LANDING

EX SHIP "GOMELZA" from London,
250 cases "St. Robert Burnett & Co's" OLD TOM,
with patent glass stoppers. For Sale by
J. A. McCREA & CO. CORNER JOHNSON & GOV'T STS.
nov-7-2

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
JUST RECEIVED FROM LONDON,

per GOMELZA,
Flannels—an assortment;
Flannels—red, green, white and yellow;
Woolen and Cotton Hosiery, assorted;
Clothing assorted;
Waterproof Napoleonic Boots;
Cases Prints;
Silk and cotton Handkerchiefs;
Hosiery, silk and cotton Umbrellas;
Fancy Flannel Shirts;
Scent and Blue Shirts;
Mittens, Gloves, Navy Caps;
Beads, Ribbons, Combs, &c.
—ALSO—

Pale Sherry, Scotch Whisky; pale and dark Brandy,
in one dozen cases; Ale and Porter, in 4 dozen casks;
—ALSO—

Oars, assorted sizes; Tar; Bolt-Rope; English Hams;
English Hams and Bacon; Oatmeal of superior quality
in 14 lb tins; Fancy Biscuits of many kinds. For sale by
Victoria Nov 4th 1859-n7-1m JANION & GREEN.

SANDWICH ISLAND SUGARS.

JUST RECEIVED, another Fine lot of
these Sugars of various qualities. Also, MOLASSES
in barrels, and for sale low by
Victoria Nov 4th 1859-n7-1m JANION & GREEN.

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

To Contractors and Builders.

TIME TIME FOR RECEIVING PLANS.
I have specifications, for a two-storyed Frame Building,
29 by 35 feet to house Hook and Ladder Truck, Fire
Engine and Hose Carriage, with cupola for Alarm Bell.
—Is extended until Saturday the 12th inst.,
Plans and Specifications to be handed in to the Secretary,
Mr. Jackson, Bank B. N. A., by 12 o'clock on that day.
Price of the Building not to exceed \$1,500. n7-2

JOHN COPLAND.

LAW CHAMBERS,

TOWN LOTS AND FARMING LAND
for sale. Money for Loan on Real Estate. Deeds
collected. Accounts and average Statements, all
justified. nov-7-3m*

TO LET.

THAT FIRE PROOF STORE in the
rear of the Stationer's Hall. Apply to
nov-7-4m HIBBEN & CARSWELL.

C. VEREYDIEN.

Carpenter, Contractor, and Builder,
Corner Blanchard Kane sts. near the Church.

IS PREPARED TO CONTRACT FOR
or Superintend the erection of BRICK BUILDINGS,
Frame Cottages, Wood and Brick Fire-proof Stores,
and Dwellings etc., all in the best style and architecture.
In the cheapest and best workmanlike manner.
A long experience in Europe and the United States,
and a perfect knowledge of his profession are a guarantee
that any work entrusted to him shall be satisfactorily
executed.
Plans, Drawings and specifications made in every
style, at the shortest notice. nov-7-1m

TO LET.

A TWO STORY DWELING HOUSE,
situated on Douglas between Yates and View
street and lately occupied by Mr. J. N. Thain. Apply to
nov-4-1m C. J. PIDWELL & Co.
Corner Douglas and Yates streets.

CARD.

VICTORIA, 1st Nov. 1859.
MR. WILCOX—ROYAL HOTEL:
SIR: On account of the liberal manner in which you
can forward to assist the public endeavors in aid of
the Hospital Funds, by granting your room with lights
free of charge, we request you will accept a Complimentary
Benefit, and propose to do so, by giving a
Ball on an early day—and in which we will use our en-
deavors to bring all our friends.
We are Sir, yours truly,
Geo. W. Heaton, B. W. Pearce,
Thos. Harris, J. D. Carswell,
Jno. Bruce Chisholm, Jonathan Peel, Jr.
Geo. Mason and Bails A. J. Langley,
James Moore, N. Moore,
James Carswell, J. N. Hibben,
C. A. Bayly, G. Richardson.

VICTORIA, 21 Nov. 1859.

GENTLEMEN—I have much satisfaction in acknowl-
edging yours of yesterday, and feel gratified that my
humble efforts on the occasion of the late Ball in aid of
the Hospital Funds should meet with such an unex-
pected return.

I have much pleasure in accepting your kind offer,
and propose that the Ball take place on Tuesday Even-
ing the 8th instant.

I am, Gentlemen, your most ob't Serv't,
JAMES WILCOX.
To Messrs. Geo. Heaton B. W. Pearce, J. D. Carroll
A. J. Langley, J. D. Chisholm, James Carswell, and
others. n4

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

COMPLIMENTARY BALL,

TO JAMES WILCOX ESQ.

Royal Hotel,

A COMPLIMENTARY BALL, to JAMES WILCOX, Esq.,
of the Royal Hotel, in acknowledgement of his liberal-
ity on the occasion of the late Ball in aid of the Funds of
the Royal Hospital, will be held at the ROYAL HOTEL
on TUESDAY EVENING the 8th inst at 8 o'clock,
Tickets \$3, including Supper.

To be had of the following Gentlemen:
Thos. Harris, Esq. Wharf street; J. D. Carroll, Esq.
Yates street, C. A. Bayley Esq., Government street;
A. J. Langley, Esq. Yates street; Jas. Carswell Esq.,
Yates street; J. D. Chisholm, Esq. Government street
Victoria, Nov. 3 1859. nov4

For Port Douglas Direct.

The New Schooner
HENRIETTA,
MOORE, Master.

Will leave in a few days for the above place, stopping
at the mouth of Harrison River. To shippers to the
above places this will be a great advantage, as it will
save the trouble and expense of re-shipping goods at in-
termediate places, which is always attended with loss
of time and damage to goods. Captain Moore's long
experience on the river is a sufficient guarantee as to
dispatch. For Freight or Passage apply to
nov-4-1f J. A. McCREA, Agent.

FOR SALE.

PER GOMELZA, a quantity of Fire-
Bricks;
Welsh Slates, (vls Countesses size);
Sheet Iron;
Jones' Ales;
London Stout Porter, in cases.
Apply to JOHN S. KNIGHT,
Victoria, Nov. 4, 1859,—3t Master, on board.

NOTICE.

NEITHER the Captain nor Owners of
the British Ship Gomelza, will be responsible for
any debts contracted by the crew during their
stay in port.
nov-4-3t JOHN S. KNIGHT, Master.

THE PHOENIX.

Corner of Yates and Waddington Streets.

Hot Lunch Every Day.

SOUPS:

Mock Turtle, Clam Chowder, Ox Tail and Vegetable
Soups every day.

THIS FAVORITE RESTORER keeps constantly
on hand a choice selection of French, Brandy,
English and Spanish Wines, Cognac Champagne
Wine, Catawba Wine, Sarsaparilla's Native California
Wine, English Ale and Porter, on draught and in bot-
tles, together with a choice selection of all kinds of li-
quors.

Those that are fond of a choice Havanna will do well
to call. A choice selection of Scotch, Irish and Bourbon
Whiskies always on hand to make Hot Punches.
&c. Hot Toddy and Jerry every day, and a pleasant
Room to situate and supply.
Call and see. Yours etc. T. H. McCANN.
031-1m

DIARIES! DIARIES!

FOR 1860.

POCKET AND COUNTING-HOUSE,
At HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S,
Stationer's Hall.
031

DISSOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore ex-
isting under the name and style of W. Schultz &
Co has been this day dissolved by mutual consent
of the parties.
WM. SCHULTZ,
By his Attorney in fact,
J. C. RULLING
nov-2-3t

Victoria, 26th Oct. 1859.

CIGARS FOR SALE.

500 HAVANNA CIGARS, (choice brands.)
20,000 Manila Cigars;
10,000 do do
SOUTHGATE & MITCHELL.
028-1m

HAVANNA CIGARS.

JUST RECEIVED EX BROTHER JONATHAN,
an Invoice of Fine HAVANNA CIGARS, Choicest
Brands. For Sale in Lots to suit,
at 10c per 100.
G. YGNOLLO,
Johnson street opposite Wharf.
028-1m

W. ZELNER.

SURGICAL DENTIST.
Drugstore,
GOVERNMENT STREET BETWEEN YATES AND JOHNSON.
Oct. 23. 026-1m

FOR SALE.

BY THE UNDERSIGNED. 500 Mats Bata
via Rice;
50 kegs Scotch Oatmeal;
200 casks superior Salt Beef.
SOUTHGATE & MITCHELL.
028

FOR SALE.

EX LATE ARRIVALS. Jamaica Rum, in
puncheons and hogheads,
McKenzie, & Co's superior Scotch Whiskey in
puncheons,
Stewart & Co's superior Scotch Whiskey, in
puncheons;
Superior French Brandy in casks;
Byass & Co's Bottled Ale in pints;
Ind & Co's Bottled Ale in qts and pints;
Tooth's Bottled Ale in qts;
Oregon Cider, in cask and bottle;
Duff Gordon's superior Pale Sherry;
G. YGNOLLO,
Superior London Bottled Port Wine.
SOUTHGATE & MITCHELL.
028

FOR SALE BY

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co., corner
Wharf and Johnson streets.
Blankets, scarlet and blue;
Clothing, an assortment;
Boots and shoes;
Corriage and twine. 021-1m

BOAT RACE.

On Saturday the weather being fine, a very interesting boat race came off in our harbor, according to announcement. Several hundred persons gathered on James Bay Bridge, on Victoria Bridge, along the wharves, and Deadman's Point, to witness our first boat race. Three four-oared boats were entered: the Speedwell, Rough and Ready, and North Star. The first boat was manned entirely by civilians; the second by civilians and officers; the third by the officers of the Marine Brigade, at James Bay Barracks. The crew of the Speedwell were: Hicks, Wallace, Stamp, Broderick, and Bushby, coxswain. In the North Star—Lieut. Owens, Capt. Blake, Henry, Bazalgette, and —, coxswain; in the "Rough and Ready"—Trutch, Stevenson, Moberly, —, and Chilton, coxswain. The umpires were Capt. J. M. Reid and Capt. J. Nagle. At one o'clock when the starting signal, firing a pistol, was given, the crews stretched on their oars,—and the boats shot out from the bridge in fine style. The Speedwell however took the lead from the start, with a quick stroke, which induced many to suppose that the crew had not the bottom to keep it up. She however gradually distanced the others, passed the No. 4 buoy at the mouth of the harbor and met them, being 70 yards in advance. On approaching Deadman's Island she ran foul of a canoe, but had got around the island, and from 50 to 100 yards back towards the starting point when met by the Rough and Ready and North Star,—and came in first, making the whole distance, estimated at five miles, in 39 m. 32 sec. The Rough and Ready arrived second in 41 m. 43 sec., and the North Star last in 42 m. 41 s. On passing the buoy at the mouth of the harbor, the North Star and Rough and Ready got entangled. The general feeling was that the "muscle" of the North Star would win the race, but in that respect the crew of the Speedwell took all by surprise, arriving apparently with as good bottom as when they started. Mr. J. D. Carroll dispensed some of his sparkling Heidsieck to the crews as soon as they arrived. The losing boat, the "North Star," had to pay a dinner, which came off at the Colonial in the evening.

LAMENTABLE ACCIDENT.—Yesterday morning our citizens were startled by the announcement that Mr. Edmund S. Evans, aged 20, a clerk in the Treasury, and son of the Rev. E. Evans, Wesleyan Minister, was supposed to be drowned beyond Beacon Hill, at Clover Point, about two miles from Victoria. It appears he left home alone about 3 P. M. on Saturday to go duck shooting; not coming back at the time expected his parents were alarmed, and friends were dispatched in search of him. After a whole night's search he was not discovered. But yesterday morning about 8 o'clock his watch and clothes were found on the beach. Parties were at once dispatched in boats with grapnels to drag for him; and his body was found but a few rods from where his clothes were lying. About two o'clock his remains were conveyed to the residence of his afflicted parents,—where the Coroner's inquest will take place to-day. It is supposed that he entered the water to recover a duck he had shot, but becoming entangled with the sea weed, and not being able to swim, he was accidentally drowned. It is with deep regret that we chronicle the death of one so young and promising,—and, we believe, an only son.

PARDONED.—His Excellency Governor Douglas pardoned October 28th, the two Indians, Quam and Stick—who lum, who were sentenced to six months imprisonment with hard labor, for stealing the Indian woman on Victoria Bridge. They had served out but two months of their time.

FALSE WEIGHTS.—On Saturday afternoon Arthur Todd, a miner, lodged before Mr. Pemberton a complaint against the Purser of the Eliza Anderson, Mr. E. F. Boyce, for using false weights in weighing the gold dust in which his passage money and fifty or sixty others were paid, on the last trip down from New Westminster. The charge alleges that the lead weight used weighs \$10 instead of \$8,—consequently each miner would lose \$2. A dispute occurred on board; when Todd seized the weight, and lodged it in Court when he made the complaint. On Saturday evening as the Anderson was leaving for Puget Sound an officer boarded, and detained her off Deadman's Point for half an hour, searching for the Purser; but without success. He no doubt had stowed himself away in the hold somewhere. It was rumored that nearly a hundred miners were on the look out for him. The friends of Mr. Boyce have every confidence that the false weight was purely accidental as far as he was concerned. But it appears strange that a steamer running on the Fraser route as long as the Eliza Anderson, and taking passage money in gold dust, should have false weights. The matter requires strict investigation.

MINING NEWS.—The Eliza Anderson arrived on Saturday afternoon from New Westminster, with Ballou's Express, Jeffery's Express, \$30,000 in gold dust,—and 100 passengers, of whom 35 were Chinamen. The feeling among all parties, traders and miners, is that the prospects are better than ever. Rumors had reached Douglas and Yale that new diggings had been struck near Fort Alexander. It appears a party sunk a shaft 29 feet deep, and left Douglas for provisions. In his absence another party entered the shaft and sunk it lower passing through six feet of pay dirt like the famous "blue lead" of California,—from which they took several hundred dollars. Business was lively at Yale,—a considerable number of pack trains having loaded at the Forks.

IMPORTS.

Per str WILSON G. HUNT, from Port Townsend,—19 head of cattle, 205 head of sheep,—Value, \$2,500.
Per str KOSSUTH, from Tokeale,—2,000 feet rough lumber, 900 feet dressed lumber, 5,000 lbs. shingles, 100 shingles, 100 lbs pitch, 1 bbl rosin, 5 bags nails,—Value \$608.
Per str HARRIOT, from Port Townsend,—200 bush potatoes, 25 hogs,—Value \$450.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVALS.

Nov 4—Str Wilson G. Hunt, Welch, Port Townsend.
Schr Kossuth, Foster, Port Townsend.
Schr Harriot, Collin, Port Townsend.
Schr Victoria Packet, Cole, Nanaimo.
Nov 5—Schr C. S. Kidder, Tyce, Port Townsend.
Mr Eliza Anderson, Wright, New Westminster.

CLEARANCES.

Nov 4—Str Wilson G. Hunt, Welch, Port Townsend.
Schr Pronto, Church, Port Townsend.
Schr Victoria Packet, Cole, Nanaimo.
Nov 5—Schr C. S. Kidder, Tyce, Port Townsend.
Str Otter, Mouatt, San Juan.
Sloop Flora, Booth, Nanaimo.
Str Eliza Anderson, Wright, Port Townsend.
Schr Calabroough, Bolton, Nanaimo.

FOR SALE.

A RARE CHANCE FOR CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.

THE GOOD WILL FIXTURES, MATERIALS, ON HAND, and appliances of one of the best located and most successful CARPENTER SHOPS in the colony, for sale.

Business of importance requiring the presence of the present Proprietor in San Francisco, the whole business and everything connected therewith, including work on hand, will be sold on reasonable terms. This is most favorable opportunity for any one wishing to procure a well established business. The books of the concern can be seen, and every satisfaction be given to those who wish to buy. The seller will engage not to return to this Island to open another shop. Enquire of
W. F. SAYWARD,
Lumber Dealer.

TO BUILDERS AND FAMILIES.

FOR SALE at my Store a Large Variety of handsome PARLOR GRATES. A. BLACKMAN,
Next Freeman's Express Office, Yates st.

NOTICE.

Mr. CHARLES W. WALLACE Jr.,
Having the Power of Attorney, we represent our Inter-
ests, and act to all business connected with our
Firm. JAMES DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,
Victoria, V. I., 1859. 04-1m

NATHAN POINTER,

Importer and Dealer in

MESSRS. DAVIS & JONES' PATENT

SHIRTS!

Of New York.

AND L. ATRINSON'S Improved SHOULDER SEAM

PATTERN SHIRTS, of Philadelphia.

Just received, the latest styles of BALTIC SHIRTS,

from London.

Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and Hose;

Gents' Shaker flannel Undershirts and Drawers.

Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony Wool Shirts and

Drawers; white and colored Marseilles Shirts.

A full assortment of gents' superfine Manchester

Gingham Shirts.

A magnificent assortment of Gents' SILK SCARVES.

A new style of Gents' fine cassimere Comforters, and

Opera Scarves.

A superior article of Children's Woolen Hose of all

colors and sizes; Umbrellas and Carpet Bags.

ON YATES STREET,

Opposite Bank of British North America,

VICTORIA, V. I.

He is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods

Ever exhibited in Victoria, comprising all the latest

styles of the celebrated Davis & Jones superfine Patent

WHITE and COLORED SHIRTS.

And is receiving by every steamer those beautiful

BYRON SHIRTS, of all sizes, running from 13 to 20

inches around the neck.

Ladies should call soon and examine those superior

BALTIC STOCKINGS, for Winter wear.

Orders sent through Express, by sending the size of

the neck for Shirts, we will guarantee to fit.

Orders filled for all parts of British Columbia and Puget

Sound.

I shall receive fresh goods by every arrival from London.

Ladies and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves.

"We Study to Please."

Business hours from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M. 04-1m

L. WOLFF,

Opposite Wells, Fargo & Co's Express,

YATES STREET, VICTORIA.

The Subscriber having just returned from San Francisco,

and completed his arrangements to receive all

goods in his line direct from

NEW YORK AND EUROPE,

Would respectfully inform the Public that he is able

and will sell every article

TWENTY PER CENT. LESS

Than any other Store in this Country. He having taken

the advantage of the depressed market and purchased

his Entire Stock for CASH.

CONSISTING OF

Five Black Frock and Dress Coats,

Five Beaver Overcoats and Talmas,

Five Heavy Pilot Coll Raglans and

Sack Coats,

Five Black Doeskin and Cass. Pants,

Heavy Cass. Pants, for Winter Use,

500 yds. Heavy Satinet Pants,

Corduroy and Molekin Pants,

Five Cloth Velvet and Satin Vests,

Heavy Cass. Vests, for Winter Use, &c.

Together with a full assortment of

BOOTS AND SHOES.

And a general assortment of GENTS' FURNISHING

GOODS.

Families are respectfully informed that he has

constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

CLOTHING.

22-Call and see before purchasing elsewhere.

se19-1m

CHEAP FUEL.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES OF

COALS.

TO ENABLE FAMILIES TO SUPPLY THEMSELVES

WITH FUEL

for the approaching Winter, we shall until further notice

sell the best

NANAIMO COALS,

In quantities of

One Ton and Upwards,

AT TWELVE DOLLARS PER TON OF 2240 Lbs.

JOHN T. LITTLE & CO.,

Agents Victoria Coal Co.

Victoria, Sept. 24, 1859. se25-1m

REMOVAL.

DR. RUMSEY has removed his office

from the Clifton House to the building occupied by

Dr. Murray, in Frontage street. 04-23-1m

COAL OIL!

AND

COAL OIL LAMPS!!

These LAMPS give the most bright and economical

Light of any now in use.

The oil is free from any unpleasant odor, and guaran-

teed not to explode.

For Sale by the Agents,

CURTIS & MOORE,

DRUGGISTS, YATES STREET.

04-24f

HARDWARE.

Builders', Agricultural,

AND

GENERAL HARDWARE.

JAMES BELL.

04-10 JOHNSON STREET.

NOTICE

To the Bar Keepers, Hotels, Restaurants,

and Private Families.

RECEIVED IN BOND BY LATE AR-

ivals, and for sale by the undersigned, a few in-

voices of the Whores and Brandy.

MARTELL COGNAC, B. N. OT COGNAC, 1551,

SAZERAC COGNAC, SEIGNETTE COGNAC,

BONTELLAU du CUEZ, FOLIN COGNAC,

CHAMPAGNE, ANISETTE,

MARASCHINO, PORT WINE,

HOTTETTER WITTE, PORT WINE,

SHERRY WINE of the best quality.

Also,

100 cases of MARTELL'S LONDON CIDER,

se23 J. D. CARROLL.

Ex Steamers Forwood and Northerner.

LESTER & GIBBS

HAVE RECEIVED BY THE ABOVE

Steamers, superior GROCERIES of every descrip-

tion,—selected with great care for family con-

sommption. They have on hand, and will be continu-

in receipt of superior fresh Butter, Cheese, Eggs, &c.

Also, a fine assortment of English and American Jams,

Sauces, Spices, Pickles, &c.

All of which will be sold in large or small lots to suit,

at the Lowest Market Prices.

Stop in at

25 Yates st, 7 doors above Waddington Alley.

FOR SALE BY

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co., corner

Wharf and Johnson streets—

Sugar, crushed and bastard;

Rice, Carolina and Patna;

Soap, best English;

Candles, crystalline and sperm;

Starch, Colgate's;

do. do.

Matches; wax vestas;

Hams and bacon;

Fish butter;

Pearl barley;

Scotch oatmeal;

Arrowroot;

Pickles, the fruits, mustard,

Sauces, &c. &c.

04-21-1m

HARDWARE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, has just received

direct from England, a large assortment of HARD-

WARE, comprising,

Double barre'd Guns;

do.

Spears, Shovels and Picks;

Horse-shoes and Horse-shoe Nails;

Smith's Tools;

Rakes, Hoaxes, & Forks;

Exc. Bases;

Tim Ware;

Grindstones;

Kim Locks;

Household Bellows;

And a variety of other Hardware, which he offers to

traders at less than San Francisco prices.

Up-River Traders will do well to examine the above

before purchasing goods below.

Oct. 28-1m

ALFRED FEALOWS,

Government Street.

READING ROOMS.

Yates Street over Messrs Moore & Co's,

Between Yates and Wellington streets, and facing Tronace street

VICTORIA, V. I.

SELECT PRIVATE BOARD AND RES.

EDENCE.—A few Gentlemen of quiet and domestic

habits can be accommodated with BOARD

AND RESIDENCE in the house of a private English family;

where a good Table is kept, in accordance with

English customs; and where they may enjoy all the

conveniences and comforts of an English home.

25-Married couples would find the above a comfortable

and desirable Residence.

Victoria, V. I., Oct. 9, 1859. 04-1m

J. D. CARROLL,

YATES STREET,
(BETWEEN WHARF AND GOVERNMENT STS.)

IMPORTER,

—AND—

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER

—IN—

Wines and Liquors,

Now Offers for Sale the Following
CHOICE BRANDS.

10 Puncheons Scotch Whiskey,

- 10 " Jamaica Rum;
- 10 " Swain & Board's Old Tom Gin;
- 15 pils Holland Gin;
- 15 casks Sazerac Cognac;
- 10 " J. Robbins' Cognac;
- 10 " Martell Cognac;
- 15 " Seligson Cognac;

25 bbls Bourbon Whiskey

- 50 bbls Alcohol;
- 50 casks American Brandy;
- 25 bbls Allsopp & Son's Burton Ale;
- 50 bbls Oregon Elder;

150 cases Swain and Board's Old Tom;

- 300 cases London Dock Cognac Brandy;
- 20 cases London Club House Gin;
- 50 " Wolfe's Schnapps;

100 cs V. H. & Co. Anchor Holland Gin

- 50 " Absinthe Suisse;
- 50 " Vermouth Rivoire;
- 50 " Scotch Whiskey, Robt Thin;

150 cases Claret Wine;

- 50 " John Darand Haut Sauterne;
- 10 bbls D. Gordon Sherry Wine;
- 10 " Crown Port Wine;

25 baskets Hedsick Champagne;

- 10 " Hedsick Champagne, pints;

25 cases Rosenbaum's Bitters;

- 25 " Hostetter's Bitters;
- 25 " Turner's Forest Wine Bitters;
- 25 " Boker's Bitters;
- 50 " Ginger Wine;

150 cases Turner's Assorted Syrups;

- 100 cases Byass' Porter, 4 doz. each
- 50 cases Bass' Ale, 4 doz. each.

SOLE AGENT

FOR THE

VICTORIA BREWERY.

Orders from any part of the COUNTRY punctually attended to.

TERMS CASH.

J. D. CARROLL.

Opposite Freeman & Co's Express,

at 22-23m

WASHINGTON RESTAURANT

REFITTED AND IMPROVED.

THE ABOVE RESTAURANT, on Government street, between Yates and Johnston sts, having been thoroughly refitted, is now prepared to supply the wants of all its old customers, and such new ones as may be disposed to give it a trial. The table is always set with every delicacy in season, together with all the substantial requisites for good living.

Excellent Cigars always on hand.

Royal Hotel,

WHARF STREET,
VICTORIA.

BOARD, per Week, - - - \$7 to \$8 00

BOARD AND LODGING, per Week, - \$10 00

Wines, Ales and Liquors of the best description.

Private Rooms for Families.

The Restaurant under the entire management of Mrs. DUNLEY.

A large HALL suitable for Balls or Public Meetings.

JAMES WILCOX, Proprietor.

REMOVAL.

HAS & ROSENFELD have Removed to the Fire-Proof Brick Building on Wharf street, adjoining the Royal Hotel.

PAINTERS' COLORS.—English White Lead and Paints, in 25 lb tins.

A. R. GREEN & CO

at 29-1m

MACDONALD & CO.

Office on Yates Street.

SELL Checks at sight on TALLANT & WILDE, Bankers, San Francisco, AT PAR. Furnish Bills of Exchange in sums to suit, and at current rates, on New York and London.

Pay the highest price for Gold Dust.

Make advances on Gold Dust for Assay or Coinage in San Francisco.

Purchase Navy Bills and Bills on London.

INFORMATION WANTED

OF PATRICK KELLEY, aged 23 years formerly of Fiddletown. He left California a year ago for Fraser river. Address to HIBBEN & CARSWELL, Victoria.

Agents for the Liverpool Underwriters Association.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEG LEAVE TO

notify Merchants, Ship Owners and Ship Masters, that they have received the appointment as Agent at Victoria, Vancouver's Island, for the Liverpool Underwriters Association.

JANION & GREEN, Victoria, Sept. 19th, 1859.

900,000 BRICK FOR SALE at the Brick Yard, Beacon Hill Vic

at 22-23m

GEORGE MASON & CO

BUSINESS CARDS.

R. C. JANION, } { JANION, GREEN & CO.
Liverpool, } { Honolulu, Sandwich Islands

JANION & GREEN,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Foot of Johnson Street near the Bridge.

VICTORIA V. I.

SOUTHGATE & MITCHELL,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Albert Wharf,

VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND.

And Battery street, San Francisco, California.

SELM FRANKLIN & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS AND LAND AGENTS,

Yates street, Victoria.

Town Lots in Victoria and Esquimalt,

And Farming Lands disposed of at Public and Private Sale.

Surveys, Plans, Deeds, Mortgages, and Agreements

Prepared by competent parties attached to the office.

Merchandise, Household Furniture, &c.

Disposed of.

Advances made on Consignments

Gold Dust Purchased.

SAMUEL PRICE, & CO.,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Corner of Wharf and Johnson sts.,

d11 VICTORIA, V. I.

THOS. N. HIBBEN, JAMES CARSWELL.

STATIONER'S HALL.

HIBBEN & CARSWELL,

Wholesale and Retail

BOOKSELLERS & STATIONERS.

s28 VICTORIA, V. I. 1m

W. J. ARMSTRONG & BRO.,

Have removed to their

New Store,

ON COLUMBIA STREET,

Near the Custom House, New Westminster.

They have constantly on hand a large

stock of

Groceries, Provisions, Hardware, Crockery,

Ware, Paints, Oils, Farming Imple-

ments, Mining Tools, Ladies'

and Gents' Boots and

Shoes, &c., &c.

Consignments and Commission business promptly

attended to.

22-200 Tons of HAY for Sale.

COLONIAL

BREWERY!

Cor Government and Johnston sts,

VICTORIA, V. I.

XX & XXX Ale, Porter and Lager Beer

Guaranteed superior in quality to any manufactured

in the Pacific coast.

ARTHUR BUNSTER.

N. B.—Orders solicited from all points on Fraser River,

Washington Territory and Oregon, and promptly at

tended to.

DR. CLERJON.

FROM PARIS.

Physician, Surgeon and Accoucher,

Government Street between Yates and Johnston, in the

Yard opposite Washington Restaurant.

Treatment of all diseases without Mercury.

at 27-3m

WEBSTER & CO.,

Yates street, opposite the Express Offices.

VICTORIA.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

BOOTS, SHOES, LEATHER, and FINDIN S,

Of every description.

Also—LADIES' SHOES, of all kinds.

Boots and Shoes made to order. and Repairing

done at the shortest notice.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

Victoria Division, No. 1.

The regular Meetings of this Division will be held in

the Assembly Rooms, Broad Street, every Monday

evening, at 7 1/2 o'clock precisely. By order,

EDMOND S. EVANS, R. S.

JOHN WRIGHT,

ARCHITECT.

Yates Street Victoria.

Is prepared to furnish Designs for all kinds of Public

and Private buildings.

Superintendence, Valuation and Measurement of

the different descriptions of Mechanical work connected

with building.

at 27-3m

TO LET.

LOT 30 foot front, on the West

of Government street near the Post Office,—we

situated for business.

A. DE COSMOS, British Colonist Office

ASSAY OFFICE.

MARCHAND Jr., & CO.,

Yates Street,

Third door above Freeman & Co's Express.

ASSAYERS OF GOLD, SILVER & ORES

ASSAYS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION promptly and

faithfully made, and returns given within six hours

in bars or coin, at the option of the depositor.

AIME MARCHAND has been connected with the

well known Assay Office of HARRIS & MARCHAND, in San

Francisco, Sacramento and Marysville, California, for

the last four years, and during that time they have

given general satisfaction to the public.

We guarantee the correctness of our Assays, and by

permission refer to the following well known Banking

Houses and Express Offices in San Francisco:

B. DAVIDSON, ABEL GUY,

TALLANT & WILDE, WELLS, FARGO & CO.

PARROTT & CO., FREEMAN & CO.,

SATHER & CHURCH.

Also, by special permission we refer to the BANK OF

BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, in Victoria. au29

LANGLEY BROS.,

Yates Street,

VICTORIA, V. I.

— WHOLESALE AND RETAIL —

DRUGGISTS

—AND DEALERS IN—

Paints, Oils, Window Glass,

VARNISHES,

CAMPHENE, &c., &c.

Orders promptly executed at San Francisco wholesale

rates, with addition of importing charges.

C. & A. J. LANGLEY,

Wholesale Dealers in

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PERFUMERY

PATENT MEDICINES, &c., &c.

Commercial Street,

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

L. D. LOEWENBERG,

REAL ESTATE AGENT.

Government street between Yates and Johnson.

Has lots for business purposes as well as for private

residences in nearly every part of the town for sale or

lease.

Money loaned on good security.

He is also agent for large tracts of Agricultural Lands,

as well as small pieces of Garden Land, which he is au-

thorized to lease or sell at reasonable rates. Deeds and

eases drawn at small expense.

Porter, Ale, Wines, Whiskey, &c.

RECEIVED BY LATE ARRIVALS

FROM LONDON, HONOLULU, AND

San Francisco.

200 cases "n's Old Tom;

40,000 Cigars.

Barrels XXV Bourbon Whisky, (Old Joe Bowers)

do. Alcoral;

Cases Isat alla Grape Wine;

Cases Bitters, (Morning Call and Royal Windsor;

Burton's Gunpowder in 25 lb packages;

IF in 1 lb and 1/2 lb blue Jap'd Canners;

C & F Blasting and Mining Gunpowder;

Curtis & Harvey's Sporting Gunpowder in 25 lb cs

23 1/2 lbs Turk's Island Salt;

550 bags California Barley;

100 mats China No. 1 Sugar;

40 Jap't sacks Pacific Mill-Extra Superfine Flour;

2 bags Rio Coffee;

Boxes Macy's Candles;

Sales of Gunny Bags;

Mac's of China Rice.

Also—

An assortment of Windows, and Sash, and Panel

Doors.—Puzet Son's Lumber, assorted, 3/4 inch & 1 inch

Boards, and small sizes. Scantling.

For Sale by

SAMUEL PRICE & CO.,

Corner of Wharf and Johnson streets.

Victoria, V. I., June 27, 1859.—j. 29

TWO ROOMS TO RENT.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED,

on corner of Government and Herald streets. Apply

at the Bayley Hotel. au10-1

FRANKLYN, MACDONALD & CO.

Government Pier—Port Douglas, B. C.

GENERAL MERCHANTS,

Commission, Forwarding & Land Agents

Goods Landed and Stored.

FRANKLYN MACDONALD & CO.,

beg to intimate that they have established a

Branch of their Business at CAYOOSII, near Upper

Fraser, that they have

A TRAIN OF MULES.

On the Portage between the Lilloette and Anderson

Lakes and are prepared to

Receive, Store, and Forward

Goods to the upper country at moderate terms. They

have added to their Store at Douglas, which being by

the water's side, and some distance from any other

building, lessens the danger of fire, and avoids all ex-

pense of portage. au17-1f

C. J. PIDWELL & CO.,

FURNITURE DEALERS,

South-east corner Yates and Douglas sts.,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE

Invoice of assorted Furniture of the latest fash-

ions, consisting in part of Common, Dining

Room and Library Chairs; Bedsteads, Bedding, Bed

room Sts., Sofas, extra-Tables, Ladies' Work Tables

&c., &c., all of which will be sold at the LOWEST

CASH PRICES.

INFORMATION WANTED.

OF JACQUES MONTRENCY, ALIAS BOUCHER,

who by making application to Bishop DUMAS, at

Victoria, V. I., will get a letter from his wife, augh-

ter, and son-in-law, P. LACOME, Montreal, Canada East.

100

Additional Men

Can be Accommodated with
BOARD AND LODGING

—AT THE—

UNION HOTEL

Government street,